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Attorney Docket No.: POR1000.02A1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Robert Austin Porter)
Serial No.: 10/609,114)
Filed: June 27, 2003)
For: Apparatus and method for automatically)
grading and inputting grades to electronic)
gradebooks.)

Examiner: Victor Cheung

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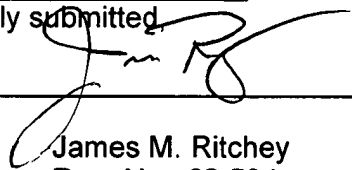
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